

Subcommittee for the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education,
Certification and Licensure and Development
4th Floor Board Room Central High School
359 N. West Street, Jackson, MS 39201
May 6, 2022

In accordance with Miss. Code Ann. §§ 37-3-2(10) and 25-41-5, a subcommittee of the members of the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development (“Commission”) met at 1:00 p.m. on May 6, 2022, in the 4th Floor Room of the Central High School Building, 359 N. West Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

Members in Attendance: Jamie Creel, Kim Hubbard, and Mary Hill-Taylor
Commission Counsel: Jonathan Dennis, Special Assistant Attorney General
Baylea Blough, Special Assistant Attorney General

OEM Counsel: Joseph Runnels, Esq.

Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) Personnel Attending:
Tilla Tate, Investigator for the Office of Educator Misconduct (OEM)
Scott DeJong, Director for the OEM

Others in Attendance:
Danna Holiday, Educator

Robert Morton, Educator

Matters before the Subcommittee:

I. Case of Danna Holiday, Educator License Application No. 332051

Jonathan Dennis, legal advisor to the Commission Hearing Subcommittee, called the hearing to order at 1:17 p.m.

After all exhibits were received into evidence and testimony heard, Jamie Creel moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee go into closed session to determine the necessity to go into executive session. Kim Hubbard seconded the

motion and the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to go into closed session.

Jamie Creel moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee go into executive session for deliberation and findings concerning the license application of the above identified Educator. Kim Hubbard seconded the motion and the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to go into executive session. The following individuals remained in the room: Jamie Creel, Kim Hubbard, Mary Hill-Taylor, Jonathan Dennis, and Baylea Blough.

On a motion by Jamie Creel, seconded by Kim Hubbard, the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to come out of executive session.

During Executive Session, the Commission Hearing Subcommittee took the following action:

Mary Hill-Taylor moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee grant the Petitioner's request for processing of Educator License Application No. **332051**.

Kim Hubbard seconded the motion, and the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously approved the processing of Petitioner's license application.

In open session, counsel read the decision of the Commission Hearing Subcommittee to the participants.

The presiding officer pronounced the conclusion of the hearing at 1:56 p.m.

II. Case of Robert Morton, Education License Application No. 319123

Jonathan Dennis, legal advisor to the Commission Hearing Subcommittee, called the hearing to order at 2:06 p.m.

After all exhibits were received into evidence and testimony heard, Jamie Creel moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee go into closed session to determine the necessity to go into executive session. Kim Hubbard seconded the motion and the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to go into closed session.

Kim Hubbard moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee go into executive session for deliberation and findings concerning the license application of the above identified Educator. Jamie Creel seconded the motion and the Commission Hearing

Subcommittee unanimously voted to go into executive session. The following individuals remained in the room: Jamie Creel, Kim Hubbard, Mary Hill-Taylor, Jonathan Dennis, and Baylea Blough.

On a motion by Jamie Creel, seconded by Kim Hubbard, the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to come out of executive session.

During Executive Session, the Commission Hearing Subcommittee took the following action:

Mary Hill-Taylor moved that the Commission Hearing Subcommittee grant the Petitioner's request for processing of Educator License Application No. **319123**.

Kim Hubbard seconded the motion, and the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously approved the processing of Petitioner's license application pending the submission of the requested documentation.

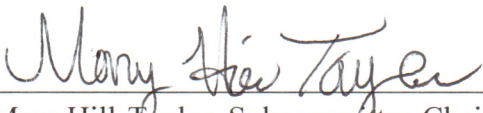
In open session, counsel read the decision of the Commission Hearing Subcommittee to the participants.

The presiding officer pronounced the conclusion of the hearing at 4:01 p.m.

III. Adjournment.

On a motion by Jamie Creel, seconded by Kim Hubbard, the Commission Hearing Subcommittee unanimously voted to adjourn for the day at 4:01 p.m.

Approved:



Mary Hill-Taylor, Subcommittee Chair
Commission on Teacher and Administrator
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Cory Murphy, Ph.D., Executive Secretary
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